



Things To Bring To Oneida Baptist Institute

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What to bring

The following items **ARE** allowed and **SHOULD BE BROUGHT** when enrolling. We want your experience to be positive, and these items will help you make a smooth adjustment to dormitory and campus life.

1. Items you should bring:

alarm clock	hangers	sheets for twin bed
appropriate clothing	hygiene items	shoes for work/play
backpack	keychain/lanyard	shower shoes
bathing suit*	laundry basket	small waste basket
Bible	laundry detergent**	towels and washcloths
blankets	pillow w/ cases	umbrella
coat/jacket	school supplies- <i>pens, pencils,</i>	
desk lamp	<i>notebooks, binders with</i>	
footlocker & lock	<i>looseleaf paper</i>	

* bathing suit: girls = one piece; boys = trunks, not briefs

** Washer and dryer use is provided free of charge.

2. Items you may bring:

appropriate photos	microwave popcorn*	small fan
camp chair	MP3 player	small rugs
candy	plastic bowls	snack foods
CD player/radio	plastic cups	soft drinks
chips	plastic forks/spoons	soups/noodles*
games rated "EC-T"	postage stamps	sports equipment
iPod Touch	skateboard— <i>with helmet and</i>	TVs 19" or smaller
microwave foods*	<i>elbow/knee pads</i>	

* Microwave ovens are available in the dorm office.

ALL personal items should be marked with name or initials.

Items available for purchase at the campus store:

candy	noodles	school supplies
chips	phone cards	soft drinks
laundry detergent	postage stamps	toiletries
locks	school spirit items	various snacks

Special note: It is strongly recommended that students not bring expensive items, including jewelry, family heirlooms, MP4, expensive clothing, etc.

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Prohibited Items

The following items are prohibited and **should not** be brought to our campus. If you possess these items, they must be turned in to the dorm/principal's office immediately and will be returned at the end of the year.

1. All items with references to:

alcohol	hate/curse words	suicide
drugs	parental advisory	tobacco
excessive body exposure	racial remarks	violence
explicit lyrics	satanism/withcraft	
gang culture	sex	

2. Aerosols and inhalants, including:

compressed air	mousse	spray deodorant
gasoline	nail polish remover	starch
hair spray	permanent markers	toxic correction fluid
lighter fluid	shaving cream	toxic glue

3. Any of the following:

bicycles	games rated "M" or above	those rated "G" or "PG")
bleach (liquid chlorine)	glass containers/bottles	paggers
cameras or any device with a camera	halogen lamps	pocket knives
candles	incense	refrigerators
communication devices	laser lights	scanners
cooking appliances	lava lamps	strobe lights
electric blankets	light bulbs over 60 watts	sun lamps
electric heaters	lighters/matches	tools
fireworks	mouthwash with alcohol	TVs larger than 19"
	movies/DVDs/VHS (except	

4. Cell phones and chargers must be turned in to the dorm office. They will be returned on homegoings. If found, they will be confiscated and the student will be suspended. Confiscated cell phones will be returned only if the student departs using public transportation, withdrawing, or at the end of the school year.



Dress Code

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Daily Attire and Grooming—All Students

1. Clothing is to be appropriately sized, buttoned, snapped, zipped and/or buckled. Please note the following:
 - Clothing deemed too revealing will be prohibited.
 - Pants or shorts must be worn at the waistline.
 - If the garment has belt loops, a belt must be worn within the loops.
 - “Sagging” is prohibited.
 - Chains hanging from or attached to your clothing are prohibited.
 - Pants and jeans may not drag the ground.
 - Clothing must not be worn inside-out.
 - Gothic-style black attire is prohibited.
 - Dog collars and studded bracelets, necklaces and belts are prohibited.
2. Sweat or pull-away pants are not permitted during the school day or in the dining hall.
3. Undergarments and sleepwear (including boxer shorts, camisoles and houseshoes) are never to be worn as outer garments outside the dorm.
4. Shorts of modest appearance are permitted for work or play. Shorts are prohibited at school, in the dining hall and at church services. Exception: Knee-length shorts are allowed from the Monday following graduation until the last Friday in September.
5. *Clothing with rips, holes or tears that reveal undergarments or skin is permitted in the dormitory areas only.*
6. Hair must be kept neat and clean.
 - Markings or designs are prohibited.
 - Grooming combs worn in the hair are prohibited.
 - The head or parts of the head may not be shaved.
 - Do-rags and stockings are permitted in the dormitory only.
 - Hair that is cut, streaked, dyed, bleached or colored in an unorthodox fashion is prohibited.
 - Hair coloring on school property, including faculty/staff homes, is prohibited.
7. Sunglasses, sun visors, caps, hats, headbands or hoods must be removed upon being seated in the classroom, chapel or dining hall. Hats must be worn forward or back—not to the side or upside-down.

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Daily Attire and Grooming—Boys

1. Shirts are to be worn at all times. The length of your shirt may not extend below your thumbs. Sleeveless shirts are not permitted during the academic day or in the dining hall.
2. Earrings are prohibited.
3. Wearing nail polish is prohibited.
4. Hair must be kept neat and trimmed.
 - Hair may not extend below the bottom of the earlobe, eyebrows or below the top of the shirt collar.
 - Tails, ponytails, braiding or dreadlocks are prohibited.
 - Beards and goatees are prohibited.
 - Shaving must be timely.
 - Mustaches must be trimmed.
 - Sideburns may be worn to the bottom of the ear.

Daily Attire and Grooming—Girls

1. Bras must be worn at all times, except for girls in their dormitory rooms.
2. Dark undergarments worn under light-colored clothing are prohibited.
3. Tops are too short if the midriff is exposed when hands are raised above the head.
4. Tight, conforming tops and/or those with a low neckline are prohibited.
5. Tops that reveal undergarments are not permitted.
6. Shirts with inappropriate writing are prohibited.
7. Pants, sweats or shorts with writing on the buttocks may only be worn in the dormitory.
8. Dresses and skirts must be worn at or below the top of the knee and may not have slits that extend above the top of the knee.
9. Artificial hair, extensions, weaves, etc. may only be worn if they are a natural hair color.
10. Only two earrings per ear are permitted.
11. Excessive make-up, black lipstick, black lip liner and black nail polish are not permitted.
12. Hair worn below the eyebrows is prohibited.
13. Sleeveless shirts/tops are permitted in the dormitory areas only.

Sunday Worship Attire

Students must wear dress clothes to worship on Sunday morning. School attire is permitted on Sunday evening.

Boys must wear dress slacks or khakis, shirts with collars and dress shoes. Shirts with tails must be tucked in.

Girls may wear a dress top and skirt, a dress no shorter than the top of the knee, or dress pants, and dress shoes.